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### Letter, n.d., from John Herndon Mercer to Eva Jessye

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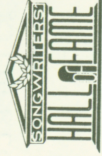
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# Songwriters' Hall of Fame



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Dear Mrs. Jessye:

In answer to your requests, the colored members elected to the Hall of Fame so far, are as follows:


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Among memebers, like yourself, are also Eubie Blake, Noble Sissle, Walter Bishop and Charles Singleton. Doubtless, there will be more as they become eligible and the years increase their output.



probably in Los Angeles.

With kindest regards,

A-  
John Herndon Mercer



[Attachment to letter signed  
by John Mercer]

With kindest regards,

(signed)

John Herndon Mercer

